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Subject:

**Divisional Patent Application of**  
Serial No.: 10/146,287 5/15/02

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A NEW PROCESS FOR INTEGRATION OF A HIGH  
DIELECTRIC COSTANT GATE INSULATOR IN A CMOS  
DEVICE

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:


This is a preliminary amendment for the above referenced Divisional Patent  
Application. Please amend the above identified application for patent as follows:

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